L to R: President Jim Clapham, Wendy Ward, Deana Patrick.

Ward Speaks to Kiwanis

The Kiwanis Club of Swainsboro held its weekly meeting on Tuesday night, August 21, 2018 at Catered Creations at 7:00. With President Jim Clapham presiding we had 21 members in attendance with one guest, Wendy Ward.

The program for the evening was hosted by Deana Patrick. She introduced Wendy Ward, the Children's Coordinator at Franklin Memorial Library. Wendy explained the books-online program at the Library. The program is offered through RBdigital Media Manager and is available for free to any library-card holder. RBdigital provides a mobile app for your smartphone which can be used to access audiobooks and magazines through your car radio without having to have your phone in your hand. The service also allows you to use your home computer to download e-books and listen to audiobooks at home.
Chair Mary Ellen Smith gave the sports report and Court was dismissed for the evening as Judge Jim Daughtry was AWOL and someone said he was taking a rest from the court.

Chair Tim Goodman gave us an update on the recent 99th Georgia District Convention at the Jekyll Island Convention Center. The 2018-2019 District Officers are: Debbie Brilling - Georgia District Governor, Andy Pipkin -- Georgia District Governor-Elect, and Georgia Atkins -- Georgia District Vice Governor. Tim Goodman was elected Lt. Governor of Division 17. Tim also noted deceased Kiwanian Bob Losser was among Kiwanians honored at the Convention. A white rose was on the head table to honor Bob. The 100th District Convention on August 17.2019 will be in Augusta.

If you would like to become a member of our Club, please contact our membership Chair Jane Durden at 478-494-4113 or e-mail her at hsdurden@bellsouth.net. If you would like more information about our Club and the many community service projects that we do each year, go to our Club website at: www.swainsborokiwanis.org. You may also go to our Swainsboro Kiwanis Facebook page